Iowa House Votes to Seat Mr. Olson of

Lyon County. SUPPOSED TO WIN DEMOCRATS

Prominent Farmer of Mitchellville Patally Rurt and Others Injured by Explosion of Home-Made

Powder.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) had been elected. The democrats brought \$450,000, in a minority report to show that in fact cial primary bill.

Coal Mines on Half Time.

Des Moines coal mines are now working on a half time schedule because of an overloaded coal market and tack of demand for the product. At this time last year they were wholly unable to supply the demand and there was a coal shortage all through the state, but because of the milder weather a complete reversal of the usual order has occurred. Five-Mile Limit Favored.

A petition signed by nearly all the stuwas presented to the senate today in favor of passage of the five-mile limit, which would prevent any saloons within five dents appeared and urged its adoption. Home Chemist Killed. Milan Hibbs, prominent and wealthy

living near Mitchellville, was fatally hurt this morning by the explosion of home-made blasting powder. A nephew, with him at the time, had both blown out and two children were badly The kitchen, where the explosion occurred, was wrecked. Hibbs was at work in the kitchen when the explosion took place. He has been accustomed to make a blasting powder, which he used to blow out stumps. He was engaged in mixing the chemicals when the disaster took

CONTESTANTS LOSE CASE IN VOORHEIS WILL SUIT

Mrs. Catherine Burnett Adjudged Not Entitled to Property by Judge

famous Voorheis case, which has been in insurance. formous Voorhels case, which has been in litigation for nearly two years, was in favor of the defendant. The case was eptitled Catherine Burnett, Elizabeth Brady, John and Bernard Ennis and Marie Behan vs. Elizabeth Atwell et al. and was one in which plaintiffs endeavored to prove their

Voorheis had visited her here on several occasions before his death and had been introduced to a number of prominent residents here as her cousin. It was thought she had a strong case but many compileations came up and at the first trial her evidence was claimed to be fraudulent and evidence was claimed to be fraudulent and Judge Towner so ruled in his findings and

found by Mrs. Burnett and the other plaintiffs, and Judge Towner ordered a new trial, which was held in December, 1910. A trip to Wales by the attorneys for the plaintiff and defendant was found necessary and a quantity of new evidence intreduced, but owing to much uncertainty of it Judge Evans, who heard the second trial, ruled the defense had made the clearer case.

Mrs. Burnett was represented by D. W. Highee of this place, and Hedrick and Touet of Osceola; the defendant by J. M. Sampson of Michigan and O. M. Slaymaker

DANES TO RESCUE OF RAILROAD

Farmers Come to Aid of Line in Trouble and Raise Big Fand to Save It.

ATLANTIC, In., Feb. 2 -(Special Telegram.)-Farmers of Kimballton have raised \$61,000 to help save the Atlantic, Northern & Southern from a receivership and an effort will be made to run this list of subscriptions up to \$125,000 with the help of Elkhorn people tomorrow. The prespects for keeping the road out of a receivership are brighter today than for several cays. Almost all of the money raised has been subscribed by Danish people who live in the northwest part of Cass and the southwest part of Audubon counties.

"Watch Iowa Falls Win." IOWA FALLS, In., Feb. 3.-(Special.) The annual meeting of the Commercial Club of this city was held last evening, and the following board of directors was chosen for the coming year: C. H. Burtingame, S. B. Stonerock, W. E. Welden, P. D. Peet, S. E. Huber, L. Hennelwood, W. V. Shipley, E. A. Westbury and J. C. Gregg. The old board of directors, failing to agree in the selection of a suitable slogan from about two hundred submitted at the contest, which closed February 1. the decision was submitted at this meeting and resulted in the selection of "Watch lowa Falls Win" as the slogan to be adopted in advertising the city. A close second was "You'll Like Iowa Falls." The winner of the prize was August Swanstrom of East Iowa Falis.

Murder Trial at Vinton. VINTON, Ia., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—John Donnelly, a prominent and well-to-do stock buyer of Van Horne, Benton county, was today placed in trial for the murder of Charles Andrews before Judge C. B. Bradshaw in the district court here. It is alleged that while engaged in a quarrel Dennelly struck Andrews over the head with a stake selzed from a baggage truck. Andrews after lying unconscious for several days died. The case is attracting wide attention owing to Donnelly's promi in the county.

Effort to Fix Responsibility. FORT DODGE, Ia., Feb. 3 .- (Special Telegram.)-After long investigation in an attempt to fix the responsibility for the death of Louis Peterson by a fall from an interurban bridge, the jury gave a noncommittal verdict of death by falling from the rear steps of a limited interurban car. The president of the Plymouth Gypsum company testified that interurban officials promised to have the car stop for Peterson at Shady Oaks. Interurban officials deny this statement. The car crew testified they did not see Peterson or know he boarde

The Key to the Situation-Bee Want Ada!

DEAL FOR SPECIAL PRIMARY Another Suit to Set Aside McHugh Will

Two Nephews of Ida Grove Man, Who Left Large Estate, Want Part of Property.

IDA GROVE, In., Feb. 3.-(Special.)-Frances Lurkins and Mark Lurkins Manning, claiming to be cousins of the late Alex McHugh of this city, who died July 4 1907, have brought suit through their attorneys, John Conway Toole of New York DES MOINES, Feb 2-(Special Tele-) City and Charles S. Macomber of Ida gram.)-The house of representatives this Grove, to set aside the will and give then afternoon voted to permit Representative a share of the estate. McHugh owned 1,920 Olson of Lyon county retain his seat. The acres of land in South Dakota and 240 acres committee had found a tie vote in the in lowa, and mortgages, notes and bonds county and reported that neither candidate that brought the total of his estate to

The evening he died he made a will leav Oison had a majority at the election and ing all to his wife, and it is now claimed after much discussion this report was sub- by contestants that the will should no stituted and adopted. It is supposed that stand because, they allege, undue influence the adoption means a deal for the adoption was brought to bear on bim, because he next week by democratic votes of the spe- did not know what he was deing, because his hand had to be held, while he signed and because the will was not properly signed or witnessed. The year he died iome twenty relatives, scattered all over the country from Indiana to Los Angeles brought suft to set aside the will, and it was fought through the courts in two trials. In the first the jury disagreed, the vote being 7 to 5 in favor of the confesiants. In the February term, 1969, the court di rected a verdict for Mrs. McHugh and sutained the will. To forestall further litigation the McHugh estate settled with those contestants, and now two others, who deuts of the state university at Iowa City were not parties to the former suit dispute the will. McHugh was one of Ida county's most prominent and richest citizens.

miles of the university. A hearing was Grain Dealers to Meet in Fort Dodge. also given today on the bill and the stu-SIOUX CITY, In., Feb. 3.—The directors of the Farmers' Grain Dealers' secociation of lows this morning decided to hold the 1912 meeting at Fort Dodge.

Iown News Notes.

ESTHERVILLE—B. Bechtel & Sons, pro-prietors of the West Side Lumber com-pany of this city, sold their yard to G. A. Pyterson of Fort Dodge and C. J. Lungren

TOLISDO-James M. Camery, one of Tama county's oldest pioneers, died last night at the home of his son, Denton Camery, in this place. Mr. Camery had been a resident of Tama county since 1881.

TOLEDO-The Toledo Chronicle, a well known central lows weekly, was sold to-day to Hugh B. Lee of Toledo, son of W. D. Lee, the former owner and editor. The property was sold by the administratrix of the Lee estate.

CRESTON-President D. Miller of the Burlington system arrived here this morning in a special car with several other prominent railroad officials, with whom he is making a tour of inspection of the lines and its branches. They came in from the St. Joseph division.

Evans.

CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—A decision reached yesterday in the district court at Osceola by Judge Evans in the when the fire started. Loss covered by Insurance.

relationship to Eben Voorhels, an eccentric character who died intestate at Jurray about two years ago, leaving property to the amount of \$125,000.

The chief plaintiff, Mrs. Catherine Burnett, is a resident of this place, and Eben 10 per cent, in wages.

ESTHEVILLE-Jason L. Howe, a resi dent of this city, aged about 45 years, mer.

dropped dead last night while soing up stairs to his rooms. Heart failure was the cause. Mr. Howe, or "Shorty" Howe, as who followed the leadership of Browne limit."

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CRESTON—Following the third operation in the last two months, Mrs. Edward Lichty, wife of one of the prominent grocers of this piace, died this morning at Cottage hospital. The third operation was made last night as a last resort to save her life. She was only about 15 years of age. Besides her husband and other relatives, she leaves a little daughter 6 years of my more was distributed.

ESTHEVILLE-The Short Course pre-ESTHEVILLE—The Short Course pre-mum list is being distributed this week and shows up a very fine list of prizes, mestly cash, to be given on corn and all other farm products. In one class the four adjoining counties to Emmet will be al-lowed to compete with Emmet. In connec-tion with the Short Course the farmers' institute will be held February 17-18, at which a fine program will be given. One of the features will be a lecture by the celebrated road builder. D. Ward King. SIOUX CITY—Suffering for months with

silvented road builder, D. Ward King.

SIOUX CITY—Suffering for months with almost the whole of his chin blown off. Beninmin Simons, aged 24, died yesterday on the operating table after undergoing operations since November. He was injured by accidental shooting while hunting. He has talked very little since and has been unable to tell how it occurred. He was alone and returned home in a fainting condition. Shock of the discharge knocked nearly all the teeth from his head, it is not known if he shot himself or someone shot him.

IS AGAINST LORIMER

(Continued from First Page.) do not think that such a combination

makes for justice. But this case is not the case of the Tribune; it is the case of this government; it is the government the United States that is Involved."

Paynter Asks Questions. At this Juncture the first interruption

occurred It came from Senator Paynter of Kentucky, a member of the committee and supporter of its views. He asked the New York senator to specify some of the witnesses he would have called that were not mmoned at the instance of the Tribune. Mr. Root said he would have compelled the attendance of the cashler of the Holstlaw bank to show the financial operations onducted there in connection with the alleged bribery; the "Yarbore Bros., who are supposed to have been present at some of the interviews between Brown and White' Governor Deneen and Speaker Shurtleff. "In regard to Governor Densen we were told that he could testify only in reference to the question of accuracy," said Mr

Paynter. "Then," responded Mr. Root, "you are still following the Tribune as if that paper were the guardian of the senate."

Admitting that Mr. Shurtleff had been called Mr. Root said that his testimony had been merely of a formal character, whereas owing to the fact that he was closeted day and night with Lorlmer, he should have en questioned most carefully.

Turning to the testimony before the senate, Mr. Root undertook to show that even though incomplete, it did not justfy the committee's conclusions.

Democrats Who Voted for Lorimer. Mr. Root, told of a democrat member of the Illinois legislature who admittedly had gone to Shurtleff's rooms which were occupied by Mr. Lorimer, to arrange about federal patronage and rapidly passed to the connection of Lee O'Neill Browne with the case. This man was declared to be Mr. Lorimer's chief agent, "a fact which rests on the jestimony of Browne himself, and is not the subject of dispute," he said. The senator then (undertook to show that the thirty democratic votes cast for Lori- by saying

he was called, was a well educated man and voted for Lorimer, Senator Root said and in younger days attended school with that if motives of patriotism were involved. Governor Dix of New York, at Glen Falls, these motives were locked in the beloms these motives were locked in the basoms

OSKALOGNA-St. Valentine's one has been selected as the date of the public reception to be tendered John H. White, president-elect of the United Mine Workers at Oskalogn. This armouncement has been made by Mayor L. M. Hacon and Secretary Frank Cameron of the lowa Mine Workers. The invitations are to be sent to all parts of the seath member participating was paid to invitations are to be sent to all parts.

Willson's Testlmony Ridiculed. Mr. Root ridiculed the testimony of Will son that this morning was held for the purpose of discussing the question of giving a banquet for Browne and pointed out that the two men were indicted on charges of perjury before they would admit that they had been present. The scnator said that Lorimer's lawyers tried to shut out all testimony concerning the July meeting on the ground that the gathering was for the purpose of distributing a legislative d'jackpot" which had no connection

with the election of Lorimer. "Back of it," exclaimed Mr. Root, "corruption having been going on so long that minds had become accustomed to it. men in the legislature had become so calloused to the iniquity of it they joked about it They nicknamed their corruption fund as admitted by Mr. Lorimer's own lawyer."

Mr. Root asserted that "it was perfectly immaterial" whether the seven "tainted" votes disclosed by the investigation were deducted also from the 202 votes cast on joint ballot. The latter method, he said, would still leave Lorimer a majority.

"What difference does it make?" he demanded, "whether Lorimer money was used to give Lorimer a majority or to reduce the total vote when either is accomplished by means of corruption

"The argument of supporters of Lorimer is that if the 'tainted' votes are deducted from the Lorimer vote of 10s they should also be deducted from the total vote of 202 which would leave the total 195 votes, or which Lorimer would have 101."

When Mr. Root concluded Senator Hale, the venerable republican senate leader, asserted that some one should come to the rescue of the state of Illinois and say whether the arraignment of her name and fame had been warranted.

Batley Defends Blinois. Replying, Senator Bailey said that if Mr. Root's proposition were accepted then there has not been an honest election in lilinois

Mr. Balley went so far as to say that Mr. Cullom, who has served Illinois sc ably for many years, was elected by such legislature as Mr. Root described. Although declaring that every one acquitted Mr. Cul iom of knowledge of corruption, Mr. Bailey said if Mr. Root's proposition affected Lorimer it affected Cullom likewise.

ARCHBISHOP RYAN BETTER

Rally Follows Restful Period, but No Hope is Entertained for His Recovery.

PHILADELPHIA. Feb. 3.-Following a restful period during the early hours of the day, the condition of Archbishop Ryan is slightly improved. No hope of his recovery, however, is entertained. The physicians' bulletin, issued at noon, was as follows. "The archbishop has railled somewhat

this morning, but the heart action still remains feeble. Dr. Ernest La Place, one of the attend-Browne had been instrumental in procuring ing physicians, supplemented the bulletin

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